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Contract #: 04-0120F4Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9File #: 1.28**WELDING INSPECTION REPORT****Resident Engineer:**Pursell, Gary**Address:** 333 Burma Road**City:** Oakland, CA 94607**Report No:** WIR-014667**Date Inspected:** 07-Jun-2010**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure**OSM Arrival Time:** 730**Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**OSM Departure Time:** 1600**Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**Location:** Job Site**CWI Name:** N / A**CWI Present:** Yes No**Inspected CWI report:** Yes No N/A**Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No N/A**Electrode to specification:** Yes No N/A**Weld Procedures Followed:** Yes No N/A**Qualified Welders:** Yes No N/A**Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A**Approved Drawings:** Yes No N/A**Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A**Delayed / Cancelled:** Yes No N/A**Bridge No:** 34-0006**Component:** Orthotropic Box Girders**Summary of Items Observed:**

The Quality Assurance Inspector (QAI), Scott Croff, was present at the Self Anchored Span (SAS) job site to observe the scheduled fabrication and welding of components for the SFOBB project.

The QAI observed ABF activities at the Pier 7 location. The QAI did not observe any Quality Control (QC) Inspectors present. The QAI noted that ABF personnel are welding on barges and other job related equipment. The QAI also noted that the contractor is assembling parts of the temporary trestle and Favco crane on the barges at Pier 7. The QAI did not observe any personnel welding on bridge components (OBG 6W). The QAI noted that this work was in progress until the end of the shift.

The QAI reviewed contract related documents including the submitted and approved Welding Quality Control Plan (WQCP) and approved revisions to the WQCP and newly issued ABFJV non-conformance reports. The QAI updated the records of the non-conforming incident reports, requested weld repairs and also the contractor's submitted requests for information.

The QAI had a conversation with ABF's Welding Quality Control Manager and was informed that stud welding will be performed on OBG 6W tomorrow. The QAI was informed that the studs will be welded onto the counterweight sections of plate B, where the sea fasteners interfered with their original placement at the fabrication facility. The QAI was informed that the stud welding procedure and qualified welders certifications were submitted the WQCP addenda #24 and have been informally approved at this time. The QAI verified that the WQCP addenda is in the process of review by the Engineer.

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Summary of Conversations:

The QAI had general conversations with ABF and Caltrans personnel during this shift. Except as described above, there were no other notable conversations or observations.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Mohammad Fatemi, (916)813-3677, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Croff, Scott	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Levell, Bill	QA Reviewer
